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We have a few of those \$10.00 Suits left, worth \$15.00. No such goods found elsewhere.

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The Flour
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Owing to the stringency in the money market we have been able for SPOT CASH to FILL OUR HOUSE with goods of the latest styles for less than cost to manufacture them, and we propose to sell these goods regardless of value. We can sell you goods for less than our competitors can buy them. Look elsewhere and no matter at what price goods are offered you, come and compare our prices and we will sell you. Space will not permit our quoting prices upon our immense stock. Here are a few prices that will convince you that we mean business: Dining Chairs from \$2.00 per set up; Square Extension Table, \$3.50; Rockers, 75c; Solid Oak Sideboard, bevel edge glass, \$10.50. See our \$20.00 sideboard, worth \$27.50; Bedroom Suite, \$7.50 up. Sweeping reduction upon our entire line of fine goods. All goods sold for cash or easy payments. Upholstering to order.

BACHMAN BROTHERS & MARTIN COMPANY,
240, 244, 248 East Main Street.

LEADERS ON TRIAL.

A Motion to Dismiss the Charges
of Contempt

ARGUED IN THE UNITED STATES COURT.

The Officers of the American Railway
Union Charged with Responsibility
for Every Act of Violence Resulting
from Their Orders.

CHICAGO, July 24.—A motion was made before Judges Woods and Grosscup in the United States court yesterday morning to dismiss the charges of contempt of court against President Debs, Vice-President Howard, Secretary Kellner and Director Rogers of the American Railway union. The case was argued at great length, but was not finished.

Long before the hour for court to open the benches in the court room were crowded with people and the aisles were filled with standing men and women. The room was so packed that the air soon became foul and the judge ordered the room cleared of all standing persons. Those who were not so fortunate as to have seats were forced to walk around the corridors or listen through the crowded doors.

The first move in the case was made by Attorney Gregory, for the defense, who asked that his clients be released on account of an insufficiency of evidence. The judges called for the reading of the information and the answer thereto. The reading of these documents was long and tedious. The information charged that Debs and his associates continued interfering with the employees of railroads and ordering strikes after he had been enjoined from so doing and contained a long array of telegrams, purporting to be signed by E. V. Debs, ordering out and encouraging strikers at a date subsequent to the serving of the injunction. The defendants entered a flat denial and disclaimed all knowledge of the telegrams produced. They averred that they had no power to order a strike, but could only advise, and if their advice was accepted it was voluntarily done.

After the reading of the information and answer Mr. Gregory commenced the arguing of his motion to dismiss. He said it was impossible to try and convict a man on the same charge twice, and that as his clients were indicted they could not be tried for contempt again on the indictment.

At this juncture court was adjourned until 2 o'clock.

The court room was cleared and the doors closed during the noon recess, but the greater part of the crowd of spectators hung around the entrance until the doors were again opened, but few going to their lunch for fear of not gaining readmission if once at the rear of too large a crowd.

At 2 o'clock the doors were thrown open and men and women went in with a rush. In a few moments the room contained all the people it could comfortably hold. All others were excluded and the corridors were left filled with disappointed white ribboned individuals.

Mr. Gregory continued his argument for dismissal. "Mr. Debs," he said, "was by the original bill of injunction enjoined from causing railway employees to leave their work or in any way interfering with the traffic of railroad companies by force, violence, intimidation, or persuasion, but the word persuasion was stricken out by the judge who granted the injunction.

To prove a violation of the injunction a specific charge of a specific act of force, violence or intimidation has to be made and in this proceeding it has not been attempted except so far as the telegrams are concerned and even in those no threats, violence or intimidation is shown."

Mr. Gregory quoted from numerous decisions to show that the defendant's answer in the case should be taken as conclusive and all testimony excluded. He finished speaking at 4 o'clock, and Mr. Edward Walker immediately opened for the government. His remarks were in brief as follows:

"This bill charges that these defendants have entered into a confederacy to interfere with United States mails and interstate commerce through the crippling of various railroads. It is admitted by them, I believe, that the railroads are not responsible for any trouble, and there is no grievance whatsoever against them, but they are interfered with because they refuse to boycott every car of the Pullman company. The railway union speaks and even boasts of tying up business and injuring the country, and yet they want to claim that the government has no right to restrain them. When this attachment was issued to foreclose a cessation of interference the government is severely criticised and it is said that we should have given notice to show cause, while as a matter of fact the defendant and his counsel were in court and consented to the issuance of the attachment. The defendant was asked to give bail for his appearance and not only refused to do so, but refused to allow his friends to have it done; therefore I do not think any hardship has been practiced on him. There has been no harsh action and these defendants have been treated no more severely or summarily than any other citizens would have been under any circumstances. These

defendants were ordered by this court to cease doing a certain thing, and if my information is true, they continued doing just what they were ordered not to do. This information is verified by the numerous telegrams which have been shown here. These telegraphic orders were obeyed, and it is not easy to believe that it was through persuasion. When these defendants, however, continued to interfere with the employees of railroads, no matter whether persuasion or some other means was used, they violated both the spirit and letter of the injunction. I submit that the issuing of every order by these defendants since the injunction was issued has been an open, direct and vicious violation of the law, and I do not care whether learned counsel advised it or not, as has been stated. I do not notice that particular care has been taken not to mention who the learned attorney was who gave such advice. I do not charge falsity in the answer of the defendants, but I do say that it is not borne out by the facts, and I challenge it and claim the right to introduce testimony.

The boycott emanated from the directors of the American Railway union, and they are responsible for every act of violence that has followed their orders. They are responsible for the loss of every life which has been lost as a direct result of the boycott of the Pullman Car Co. I challenge their answer when they deny the charges here made. If their answers be true, the taking of testimony will not harm them, but on the other hand tend to vindicate them. If their answers are not true I want to show it. I do not know every order that these directors have issued, as I have not access to their records, but I know that thousands have been issued besides the ones in the few telegrams here presented."

At Walker ceased speaking at 5 o'clock and the court was adjourned until tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock.

Before adjourning Judge Woods announced that he would hear the answers of Overton, Turbin, Anderson and Phillips on next Friday morning.

A RUSH FOR OLD POSITIONS:
A Reverend Roster on Trial with Prospects of Conviction.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 23.—There was a rush of striking railroad employees for their old position at Sacramento and Oakland to-day, some of whom were reinstated, while others were told that their applications would be passed upon. About 1,000 men still hold out at Oakland, but the number at Sacramento is very small.

The Los Angeles federal grand jury returned a second indictment to-day against Rev. Ravelin, the preacher who tried a crowd of strikers to riot at the beginning of the strike.

The preliminary examination of the men accused of causing the train wreck near Sacramento is still in progress at Woodland. Damaging evidence continues to be introduced and convictions are expected. Ravelin denied to-day that he had made a confession.

MURDEROUS STRIKERS
Blow Up a House in Which a Nonunion Man and His Wife are Sleeping.

UNIONTOWN, Pa., July 24.—The house of James Vaughn, a nonunion workman at the Mahoning plant of the Cambria Iron Co., was almost torn to pieces by a dynamite bomb early yesterday morning. The dynamite was placed under the window of his bedroom. The explosion tore away a section of the house and overturned the bed in which Vaughn and his wife were sleeping. Both were badly shaken up, but not seriously hurt. Vaughn had been threatened by the strikers.

The umbrella trust has gone into the hands of a receiver. This creates a suspicion that the rainmakers have not been doing their duty.

Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder
World's Fair Highest Award.

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On journeys is tedious—makes trips seem long which are all too short with good company!
How is it then that on one great journey so many choose to travel absolutely alone—turn their backs on the only companions that can make the way pleasant? It's the journey of life, and the way is long, tedious, and even dreaded, unless we are hand in hand with those

Two Friends

Health and Strong Nerves! When they are along days are full of sunshine! Are they with you making the journey happy, or have you driven them away by carelessness, worry, overwork, dissipation, or other causes? We want to tell you that a prompt and faithful use of

Dr. Wheeler's Nerve Vitalizer

always brings back health and strong nerves—makes a reconciliation!
Explains your case (with stamp for reply) and the doctor will gladly advise you. The treatment for other diseases with Nervous Vitalizer. It is the only medicine that will give you back your health and vitality. Write to us for a free trial bottle, or if you prefer, send us your name and address and we will send you a free trial bottle. The J.W. Brant Co., 127 South Franklin St., Decatur, Ill.

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With every cash purchase of \$1.00 or more made of us between now and August 15, 1894, we will give you one guess at the number of nuts contained in the globe in our window.

To the boy under 15 years of age guessing nearest to the number, we will give a fine Pneumatic Tire Bicycle bought of Dodd, Sanner & Co.

To the person over 15 years of age guessing nearest to the number we will give a fine 28-inch, tangent spokes, Pneumatic Tire Bicycle bought of Dodd, Sanner & Co.

These Bicycles are on exhibition in our window. Come and see them and then come inside and make your guess. With every purchase of \$1.00 or more you are entitled to a guess.

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WANTED—Boy's bicycle in exchange for magic lantern views. Geo. A. Henderson, 109 1/2 Eldorado street. 24-4c

WANTED—My friends and patrons to know that I have secured the services of Mr. Chapman, one of the best bakers in the city. If you try my bread and cakes you will be convinced. E. THAYER, 724 North Water street. 24-4c

WANTED—A second-hand set of driving harness for auto team. Must be cheap. Call on Edwin C. Smith, Jr., 54 West Main. 24-4c

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WANTED—Everybody to know that I have a large stock of fine and medium quality wall paper that I will sell at cost for the next 30 days. Also window shades. Come and see them. T. P. Roddy, 227 N. Main St. 24-4c

WANTED—Every man, woman and child in Decatur to visit wealth, happiness, long life and contentment by occasionally dropping in on this department. 24-4c

WANTED—The ladies to call at Garrett's, 449 North Water street, and examine the patent non-scorcher, fused thin work and you will be convinced that their equal has never been placed on this market. 24-4c

WANTED—You to know that we are prepared to renovate your feathers without mutilating any lost whatever. Satisfaction guaranteed; charges reasonable. W. D. Chamberlain & Co., Library block. 24-4c

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FOR SALE OR TRADE—Two vacant lots in Enterprise Addition. Want small house. Call on J. W. McLaughlin, 1215 S. W. 24-4c

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FOR SALE—A Deering Binder, steel frame, complete and well-oiled. Will sell very cheap for cash or on time. Also a Sandwick Corn Sheller, very cheap. Apply to W. C. LEMMON, 140 North Water street, over Abel's Carpet store. 24-4c

FOR SALE—A fine building lot on West Cero street, 60x120 feet, good neighborhood. Call on J. A. Kelly, 140 North Water street. Easy payments. 24-4c

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FOR SALE OR RENT—Space in our want columns for you to advertise for your wants. Call on J. A. Kelly, 140 North Water street. 24-4c

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MONEY TO LOAN—On real estate, farms, machinery, live stock, household goods or good personal security. Houses, farms, and accounts collected. J. W. Redman & Co., over Mullikin's bank. 24-4c

MONEY TO LOAN—In large and small amounts. Loans made on live stock, farm implements, or household goods. No interest on short notice. Loans on farms and city business property at 6 per cent interest. Apply to A. T. Smith's carpet house, Decatur, Ill. 24-4c

MONEY TO LOAN—In any amount on real estate, chattels or good personal security. Call on T. H. HUGHES, over Bushler's shoe store, 102 E. Main street. 24-4c

MONEY TO LOAN—Real estate conveyance. Apply to WALTER & WALKER, room 20, Arcade office building, Decatur 24-4c

LOST, FOUND, ETC.

FOUND—You want to save money, of course you do, these hard times. You want to be surprised to find how little money will buy a stove, furniture, in fact anything at Chance's second hand store 219 East Main street. 24-4c

FOUND—The best place in the city for high grand pictures is at BAKER'S, 109 North Water street, over Mullikin's bank. For the best antotype and crayon pictures you should not fail to call. 24-4c

LOST—By those persons, who do not use the Republican want column, the splendid opportunities and business advantages offered are every day. 24-4c

FOUND AT LAST—The people of Riverside in particular and Decatur in general have been looking for a place to buy groceries, fruit, candies, etc., at W. F. HUGHES' Riverside Grocery House. 24-4c

REAL ESTATE CHANCES.

MORE NEST EGGS—Two handsome corner lots on Decatur street, very cheap, easy terms; one inside lot \$200, same street, south front; one very cheap. 24-4c

FOUR NICE LOTS—Six nice lots on North Union street for \$1,500. All cash. 24-4c

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Farewell Announcement!

Having sold my stock of Boots and Shoes, I am to give possession on or before August 1st, but am under contract to REDUCE it to a specified amount by that time. I still

Have too Much Stock.

The Stock must be reduced, and I will make prices that will astonish the closest buyers. Remember the place.

THE TIME IS SHORT.

Stock somewhat broken, but I still have over \$15,000 worth of Boots and Shoes to select from, at

Prices Never to be Duplicated.

I have always carried the best and highest grade of footwear manufactured, consequently I have nothing in my store but

Good, Solid, Honest Stock.

I quit August 1st. Especially I extend a cordial invitation to my old customers to take advantage of this sale. Respectfully,

W. F. BUSHLER.

LEGAL ADVERTISEMENTS.

CHANCERY NOTICE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, ss.
In the Circuit Court to the September Term, 1904.
MAYOR COUNTY.

Charles L. McKee vs. Henry McKee. In Chancery. Adversely the nonresidence in this state of the said Henry McKee, the defendant in the above cause, having been filed in the office of the clerk of the circuit court of the county of Macon, Illinois, on the 12th day of July, 1904, the said Henry McKee, the plaintiff, is hereby notified that he must file his bill of complaint in the office of the clerk of the circuit court of the county of Macon, Illinois, on or before the 12th day of August, 1904, or the said bill of complaint will be taken as confessed. Dated this 12th day of July, 1904. A. ROZINA BILIA, Executor. 24-4c

SHERIFF'S SALE.

By virtue of an execution to me directed and delivered by the clerk of the circuit court of the county of Macon, Illinois, in favor of Lytle & Eckles Hardware Co. and against Sarah M. Merchants, I have levied upon the following described property, to-wit: Lot twelve (12), Block B (5), Crowder & Cornwell's addition of lots to the city of Decatur, Illinois, the property of said Sarah M. Merchants, which I shall offer at public sale at the north door of the county house, in Macon county, Illinois, on the 4th day of August, A. D. 1904, at 2 o'clock p. m. of said day, for cash in hand to satisfy said execution. Dated this 12th day of July, A. D. 1904. PETER PERL, Sheriff of Macon county, Ill. 24-4c

Notice of Final Settlement.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, ss.
In the County Court of the County of Macon, Illinois, to the effect of the final report of Richard T. Shafter, administrator of the estate of Samuel K. Shafter, deceased. To all whom it may concern: Please take notice that I have filed a final report in said court of my acts and doings as such administrator, and have asked said court to approve the same and discharge me from further liability in respect to said estate. On the 12th day of July, 1904, at the hour of 10 o'clock in the forenoon, or as soon thereafter as the matter can be heard at which time and place you can be present and take such action as you may deem best. RICHARD T. SHAFTER, Administrator. 24-4c

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Daily Republican

No improvement that you can make (for the money) will add so much to the appearance of your home as painting it. King & Hubbard, the druggists, have the best mixed paints in all colors; also everything in the paint and varnish line.

TUESDAY, JULY 24, 1894.

SOCIETY MEETINGS.

G. A. R.—Regular meeting of Duham Post, No. 141, this evening.

I. O. G. T.—Meeting to-night at 8 o'clock at I. O. G. T. Lodge, No. 34, in court house block. Visiting Good Templars cordially invited to meet with us. Communion for officers for the ensuing quarter. L. CASSELL, Chief Templar. C. C. DUNHAM, Sec.

M. A. M. C.—Regular assembly of Decatur M. A. M. C. No. 10, B. and S. Masters, this Tuesday, evening at 8 o'clock. All communications in Regular standing order invited. E. F. DAWSON, J. J. M. N. L. KRON, Sec.

LOCAL NEWS.

DEAD SHOT by paper at Irwin's. POTATOES, 60c per bu. ARCADE. 23-23 w1. SIX-INCH lace, 5c per yd. ARCADE. 23-23 w1.

DENS to congress: "Stand pat and we'll commensurate."

NICKERBOCKER shoulder, braces at Irwin's drug store.

MEN'S seamless socks, ribbed top, four pairs, 25c at Arcade. 23-23 w1.

LADIES' fast black seamless hose, 10c a pair. ARCADE. 23-23 w1.

A CHANCE to get a bicycle for nothing at the B. Stine Clothing Co. Read ad.

GUESSES run from 400 to 47,100 at the B. Stine Clothing Co. What's yours?

BICYCLES to RENT, DODD & SANKER Co., 153 Merchant St. apr18-4tf

THE Grand Opera House cigars, made by Kock & Weigand, are the best in town. mar25 dtf

CORNING IRONS, 5c each. ARCADE. 23-23 w1.

CALDWELL'S Syrup Pepsin for constipation and sick headache—10 doses for 10 cents.

MEN'S work shoes 95c a pair. ARCADE. 23-23 w1.

LARGE line of dog collars and muzzles at the H. Mueller Gun Co. 16 dt

MEETING of Decatur Lodge No. 364, I. O. G. T., at 8 o'clock to-night for the nomination of officers.

GRANULATED sugar, 20 lbs \$1.00. 23-23 w1. ARCADE.

USE WHITE LOAF FLOUR.

The Holden comedy company will be the attraction at the Grand during race week.

J. P. FARIS has been brought forward by his Democratic friends as a strong candidate for sheriff.

TAUOL oil cloth, best quality, 17c. 23-23 w1. ARCADE.

The young ladies of the W. F. M. S. of Elwin will give an ice cream festival in the M. E. church at Elwin to-morrow (Wednesday) evening. All invited.

USE WHITE LOAF FLOUR.

We are showing a most sensible belt pin, to pin ladies' belts to the skirts, made of sterling silver. They are not expensive. OTTO E. CURTIS & BRO.

DETECTIVE BALLARD and Sheriff Perl are arranging to go on a fishing trip at some point near Toledo.

The members of Goodman's Band were in demand on Sunday. They had engagements to play at Riverside Park and also for the Turner Park picnic.

SAUNDERS afternoon a child of John H. McKinley fell and broke one of its arms. Mr. McKinley on learning of the misfortune left for home at Forsyth at once.

The 11-year-old son of Powell Howlands near Lexington, Ill., fell under a binder Saturday and was seriously cut by the sickle. He is not expected to recover.

In block 300 on South Water street, W. A. Bradley is putting up a frame dwelling house of seven rooms. It will be finished in a few months.

TO DAY Charles Gross made a bill of sale of contents of the Hotel Brunswick to F. M. Horrine for \$3,750, and Mr. H. is in possession.

PURS hops and barley alone are used in the St. Louis A. B. C. Bohemian Bottled Beer, brewed by the American Brewing Co. It is delicious and refreshing. George Kraft, wholesale dealer.

A PHYSICIAN inexperienced in nerve troubles may doctor you for the wrong thing. Dr. Wheeler's Nerve Vitalizer is made by a nerve disease specialist who knows what is needed. Sold by C. H. Dawson.

A. J. DRESBACH, 241 North Park street, is enjoying an immense trade, and this fact is no surprise to his patrons. He carries the best of everything in the line of fresh and salt meats. Telephone 171.

PHILLIPS & Co., the music dealers in Wingate Block, have received a shipment of pianos, and they are beautiful. It will pay any lover of music to call and test the magnificent line of pianos and organs now on exhibition in the store room. Nothing like it has ever been brought to Decatur.

GOING TO ST. LOUIS.

A Decatur Committee Will Try to Get Old Wabash Men Back.

"While there is life there is hope" is an old saw, and to it some of the Wabash strikers pin their faith, believing that by petition and earnest persuasion the old employees who have families and own property in Decatur may be restored to their places on the road. A meeting of the strikers who are now anxious to return to the positions they voluntarily surrendered on June 30 when the sympathy and wage strike was declared at this point, was held at Engineers' Hall yesterday, and as a result of the conference a committee of three strikers with Mayor Moffitt and J. M. Clokey was appointed to pay General Manager Hays, of the Wabash system, a visit at St. Louis on Wednesday, when, through Mr. Clokey and a petition signed by business men, the strikers will make a strong plea for restoration. Similar committees representing A. R. U. men at Peru, Moberly Danville and Springfield will be present at this conference.

In St. Louis a strong effort is being made to get the old men taken back. Editor J. B. McCullough, of the St. Louis Globe-Democrat, is at the head of the movement, which he inaugurated ten days ago. Strong pleas in behalf of the discharged employees were made at a meeting which was attended by railway men and merchants.

Samuel C. Cupples said that the principal point to be considered was the position in which the railroads had been placed by the strike. They had now plenty of men to do all the work that was needed, and it was plainly impossible that any of the new men could be dropped to make room for the persons who had left the employ of the companies. He thought that the whole adjustment of the matter could be most wisely and most properly put in the hands of the railroad people, who were certain to be just and generous. He felt sure that the good men would soon be back to work, and he did not feel that, even such a representation of the merchants of St. Louis as was gathered together should urge upon the railroads more than they themselves would of their own motion do. He heartily regretted the condition of the men who had gone out on the sympathy strike, and was prepared to do his share in relieving their necessities, but he thought that before any intercession should be attempted by anybody, the men ought to call the strike off as formally as they had called it on. He believed in fighting so long as the other man fought, and in complete forgiveness when the fight was over.

Bought Farms in Iowa.

Within the past few days through the agency of Mr. Fleming, of Macon, several farmers of Blue Mound township have purchased land near Storm Lake, in Buena Vista county, Iowa. John A. Barnes, who recently sold his farm of 40 acres in Blue Mound to John Chapman for \$3,000, has bought a farm of 240 acres, well improved, with house of nine rooms and big barn, two miles from the county seat, at \$41 per acre. The farm is equally as good as any in Macon county in the way of improvements. Chris. Butler bought 240 acres in the same county at \$42.50 per acre, and William Ellrich a 120 acre farm at \$35. The purchasers are all well pleased and will leave for Iowa next spring.

Fire in a Back Lot.

The department was called out at 11:20 a. m. to-day by a fire in the vacant lot at the rear of Meyer & Blank's paint supply house on East William street, corner of State. In the lot were a lot of wooden frames used by painters, and also loose papers and trash. The old paper took fire and the flames made a wreck of the frames. It is supposed that children playing with matches caused the fire. After the firemen reached the scene they made short work of the fire. Manager Haines' bill boards escaped destruction.

Brakeman Archie Shoultz.

The many friends of Archie Shoultz were not a little surprised to see him hustling around the depot this morning at an early hour with a passenger brakeman's uniform. Archie stood his chances with the rest of applicants and this morning was called for No. 46, which left at 6:15 o'clock for Danville in charge of Conductor Webb. The run is from Decatur to Danville and return. Archie succeeds Hal Snyder, who went out at the opening of the recent strike.

Sale of the Hotel Brunswick.

This forenoon F. M. Horrine purchased Charles Gross' interest in the Hotel Brunswick on South Water street, and he took possession after the dinner hour this afternoon. Mr. Horrine has been a resident of Decatur for a number of years and owned property on North Water street. Mr. Gross will take a rest. H. G. Hanks will assist Mr. Horrine in the management of the hotel.

Will Give a Social.

The members of Faithful Lodge No. 419, I. O. G. T., will give a sunflower social this evening, July 24, at their hall in the Famous Block. The following program will be given:

Solo Solo.....B. Purcell
Recitation.....M. McDermott
Recitation.....A. Broderick
Recitation.....J. B. E. McDermon
Instrumental solo.....M. McMillan

Postponed Action.

A meeting of the Macon county delegates to the senatorial convention for the 41st district was held at the city council rooms this afternoon. The hour was one o'clock. Only 10 of the 15 delegates were present. J. H. Parker, of Macon, was the chairman and Jas. Wiley Maroo, of Decatur, sec'y. It was a meeting to agree upon Macon county's choice for state senator, but owing to the absence of five of the delegates it was voted to postpone action until 10 a. m., August 3, the date of the nominating convention which is to be held in Decatur.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Miss Callie Rich is convalescent.

Miss Villa Mills is on the sick list.

Arthur Hartley has returned from Indianapolis.

Harry Osmer is confined to his home by sickness.

Attorney E. S. McDonald is in Chicago on business.

Mrs. Fred. Werning is in St. Louis visiting her mother.

State's Attorney Mills is at Paris to-day attending the races.

Hal Snyder has gone to Peoria to visit relatives for several weeks.

Herbert Eldridge, of Gainesville, Tex., is in the city visiting his mother.

Miss Emma Marsh has returned home after a two weeks visit in Springfield.

Mrs. H. H. Brown, who was seriously ill last night, is in an improved condition to-day.

J. P. Philpot has returned from Marshall, Mo., where he was called by the death of his sister.

Miss Jessie Wilson, of Jacksonville, visited in Decatur yesterday, the guest of Miss Maude Rogers.

Mrs. Vesta R. Torrey has returned from Springfield where she visited her brother, Rev. E. B. Rogers.

L. A. Johnson, of Linn & Scruggs, has returned from Macon where spent a week's vacation with friends.

R. G. Raley, agent for the Peoria Transcript, was in the city to-day and called at the REPUBLICAN office.

Hue Singleton is at Springfield to-day attending the meeting of the executive committee of the Republican state central committee.

M. E. Aber, representing H. Lozier & Co., makers of the Cleveland Bicycles, is in the city to-day calling on H. Mueller Gun company, local agent for that wheel.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Ross left for Evansville to-day and from there will take a trip up the Ohio river to meet their son Frank, who is traveling with a theatrical company.

Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Young, who have been at Charlevoix, Mich., will return on Monday next. Mrs. J. M. Maris and daughter and Mrs. D. A. Moffitt will probably remain there for a month longer.

Wilson Bering is very seriously ill at New Orleans, where he locked some time ago. Yesterday his wife, who has been here to spend the summer with Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Bering, was summoned to his bedside.

Curbs are out announcing the wedding of George N. McCrory and Miss Jessie B. Doake, at the home of the bride, 210 West Wood street, Thursday, August 2. The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Doake, and the groom is head clerk in Groat's hardware store.

BUSINESS IN COURT.

The Law Case—A Recess Taken Until Thursday Morning.

Judge Vail in the circuit court to-day devoted nearly all of the time to hearing arguments by Attorneys Johns and Outten in the Law land case. Exceptions were taken by Mr. Outten to the master's report, but this afternoon the position taken by Mr. Johns was sustained and the report was approved. Commissioners were appointed to make the partition.

CHANCERY DOCKET.

Mary Deardorff vs. Emanuel Deardorff; divorce and injunction. A. W. Webster withdrew as solicitor for complainant.

Mattos & Sons vs. Frederick Norman et al; mechanics' lien. Rule on defendant to answer amended bill by Saturday next.

William W. Law et al vs. James H. Law et al; partition and dower. Exceptions to master's report.

Barbara Brown vs. Frank Meyer, et al; creditor's bill; bill dismissed as to Head Meyer.

Nicholas Berkler et al, partition. Master given authority to pay assgns.

Jacob Hower et al vs. Katherine S. Smith et al, partition. Receiver's report approved and confirmation fixed at 9c per cent; ordered to D. N. S. Shetlenger administrator \$2,213.71, and administrator and heirs ordered to interplead by Oct 15.

COMMON LAW DOCKET.

Geo. V. Loring vs. Christians Hays; confirmation Judgment for \$25.

The Y. P. S. C. E. of the First Methodist church met last night and among other things gave out a nickel to each member to be invested. At the end of three months the nickels and the earnings thereof will be returned and added to the church building fund. Thursday evening next the society will give a social to the old folks. No member will be allowed to hold conversation on that evening with any person less than 60 years of age.

A Platform Dance.

The members of the South End camping club entertained about 40 couples last evening on the river. After a delightful boat ride the party went up to Hog Island, where they engaged in a most delightful platform dance.

Tax water and light committee of the city council has about concluded the purchase of 7,200 feet of six-inch and 1,100 feet of four-inch water main. The price is to be \$4 to \$5 a ton less than what paid for the water main bought last fall.

PEDALINGS.

W. S. Ruby Does a Paced Mile in 2:12 1/4—Other Notes.

Decatur will soon contain within its walls as fast bicycle riders as can be found anywhere west of the Alleghenies. W. S. Ruby, whose recognized speed on the wheel makes him so immensely popular at all race meets, has added fresh laurels to his career. Last night at the Trotting Association park he covered a paced mile in 2:12 1/4. He had four pacers and the quarters were as follows: 33, 1:05, 1:42 and 2:12 1/4.

Bob Vail last night covered a mile in 2:22 2-3, with quarters as follows: 34, 1:06, 1:45 and 2:22 2-3. Ira Clokey covered a mile in 2:31 1-3, with quarters as follows: 38, 1:16, 1:56 and 2:31 1-3.

Zimmerman is not as backward in the Paris races as most people try to make out. Yesterday he appeared on the velodrome in the gay city and won his 1,000 metres race with ease and expedition. Harry Wheeler was second and Louvett was third. The great crowd present thundered their applause as the yankee champion scored.

Speaking of fast bicycle records the Bearings offers a new and sensible view of the subject. "Sanger," it says, "has at last given us an unpaced mile record that may be considered worthy the name record. He has placed the figure at 2:11 2-5. Here is something for the ambitious class of men to try for, and, possibly to beat. Custom has not recognized the unpaced mile as the standard of excellence, probably because faster time can be made with pace-makers, and with the vanity common to all mankind, we have accepted the record that would appear the most creditable to the outside world, regardless of the actual merit of the performance. But that was a long time ago. When horse-paced records came into vogue the powers that be said that horse-pacing was foreign to bicycle riding, and would have none of it. Still they allowed records made with the assistance of triplets and quadruplets. All this only goes to show that there is only one way for a man to make a record, and that is to make it alone and unaided. We do not believe Sanger's record will stand for any great length of time. There are too many ambitious men who are riding in about the same form as he that will go after the record, now that a really creditable unpaced mile has been recorded."

THE FALL MEET.

F. B. Mueller, secretary of the bicycle meet, which will be held on Friday, August 25, during the last day of the Trotting Association races, states that already he has received many inquiries regarding the races, from riders of note throughout the country. He expects the races this year to eclipse all former ones both in speed and splendid racing. The program of the day will be as follows:

ONE MILE NOVICE CLASS A.

1st Prize Fairy bicycle, No. 26 \$43.00
2d Prize Bicycle suit..... 14.00
3d Prize Racing robe, towels and gloves..... 5.00

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Open to Macon county wheelmen:

1st Prize 28 inch Pneumatic bicycle..... 850 00
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3d Prize Racing shirt..... 6 00
4th Prize Racing saddle..... 3 00

ONE MILE OPEN CLASS A.

1st Prize Split second chronograph watch, full jeweled, nickel movement..... 50 00
2d Prize Ladies watch, size 6 1/4 k case, 11 jeweled, Elgin movement..... 32 00
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